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Director of Central Intelligence

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1. I want to express my appreciation to you and your staff for the splendid manner in which material was prepared for my appearance before the Guided Missiles Subcommittee of the House Armed Services Committee this morning. This was most noteworthy because of the very short time which we had and the highly technical nature of the subject.

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2. In particular, I wish to commend [ ] for his work in connection with the Technical Committee meeting in preparation of the basic papers and for his assistance at the Armed Services Committee meeting itself.

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3. Will you please make this memorandum and my expression of appreciation a part of [ ] personnel file.

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Rear Admiral, USN

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